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**TITLE: METHOD FOR PREPARING AN INTERFREQUENCY HANDOVER,  
A NETWORK ELEMENT AND A MOBILE STATION**

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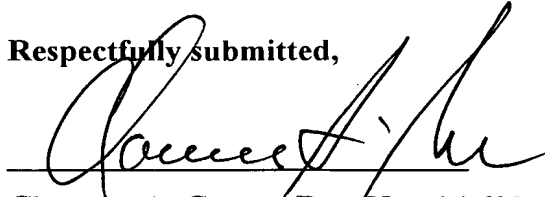
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**The above-identified patent application claims priority to Finnish Patent Application No. FI 20000043 filed 10 January 2000. Applicant's attorney encloses a copy of a Finnish Search Report issued on the priority Finnish Patent Application No. FI 20000043. The Search Report cited PCT International Publication Nos. WO 97/40593 and WO 94/29981.**

Copies of the Finnish Search Report and the cited references are enclosed together with PTO-Form 1449.

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